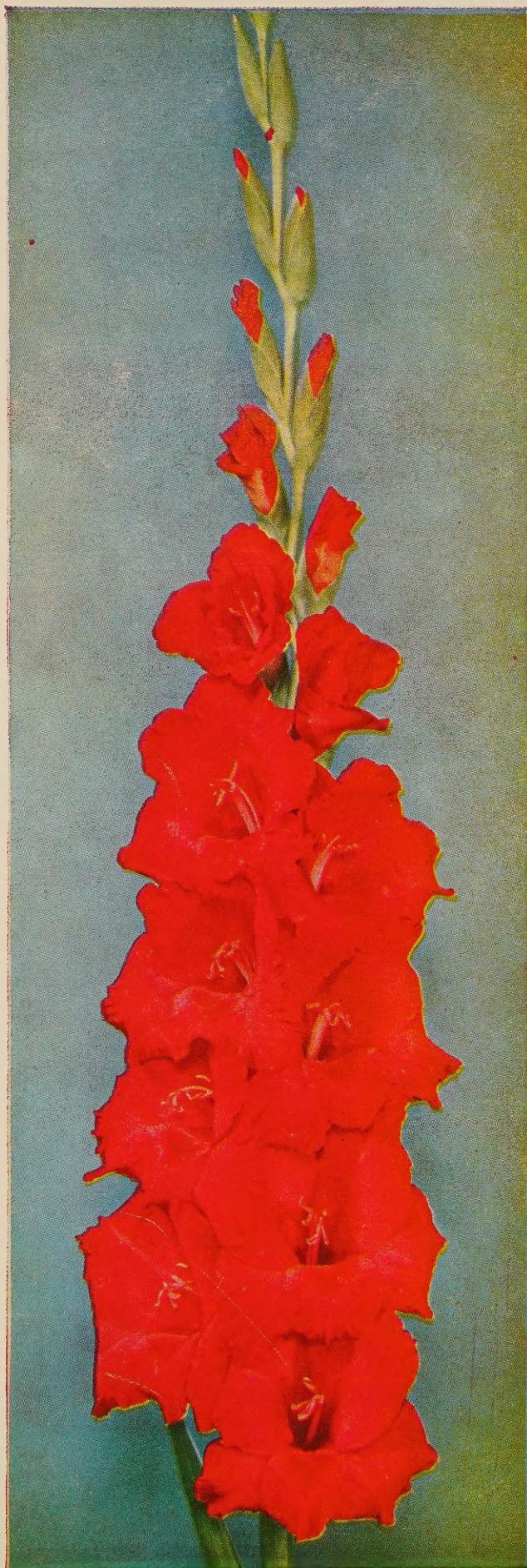


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New Beauties for 1956

The following varieties of Harris, Bastian, Murray and White co-introduced courtesy Bruce Collins.

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FROM J. W. HARRIS

BOUDOIR (542)

A huge medium pink with light cream throat. It grows 66" with 20 buds, on a 30" flowerhead. Opens 6 easily, with 7 in color. Individual florets are 6½" in diameter. Stands heat well, and has excellent opening qualities. Heavy textured and ruffled, and very outstanding.

Large and medium ONLY at \$1.00 each, with Bulblets at 10 for \$1.00.

HEIDI (210)

The finest ruffled yellow miniature I have ever seen. Grows 36" with 19 buds, opens 8 easily with balance in color. A real advance in miniatures, and a real yellow.

Large and medium ONLY at \$1.00 each, with Bulblets at 10 for \$1.00.

FROM JOHN BASTIAN

RED RYDER (450)

The finest medium red in commerce. Has won two awards of merit, scoring 87 at two major shows, as a seedling. Grows 56" tall, with 21 buds, opens 8 with 8 in color. 24" flowerhead, and does everything a good commercial cut flower should do.

Large and medium ONLY at \$1.00 each, with Bulblets at 10 for \$1.00.

FROM MR. MURRAY

CORONATION (440)

Easily the finest pink glad I have ever seen or grown which grows 54" tall, with 19 buds, on a 25" flowerhead. Opens 7 easily, heavily ruffled and needle pointed. Color is a pure pink with cream throat. Healthy as a horse, good propagator, and won Silver Medal in 1951 Canadian Test Gardens and Gold Medal in NAGC tests in 1952. Winner in seedling class in 1955 Canadian International Show.

Priced L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.00, with Blbts 10 for \$3.00 with the purchase of a bulb.

FROM WALTER WHITE

BLUE PETER (478)

A very tall growing dark blue. Have had it carrying 25 buds with 8 open, and 8 in color. Stock is healthy, and by the way, this is a deep blue, not a violet in color. Best blue seedling, and champion seedling at 1955 Canadian Gladiolus Show.

Priced: Any size bulb \$5.00, 1 bulb and 10 Bbts. for \$10.00.

FROM TED WOODS

LARCHMONT (400) ME

American Home Achievement Winner. An exciting ethereal white Glad, a beauty of fashion. Wonderful grower, resistant to heat, will not crook or misplace and most of all very healthy. Bulblet production and germination the best.

Field growth 58 inches, 28 inch or over flower head. Foliage upright and deep green. The wide open 5 inch florets are ruffled, fluted and needle-pointed, 22 to 24 buds, 8 or more open, 8 showing color. The beauty of Larchmont should be seen to be appreciated. It was named by H. M. Sherman, Jr. for his home town. Mr. Sherman grew Larchmont for four years and recommends it for introduction.

1954 Wisconsin State Seedling and R. I. show, Madison, Wis.

3 spike Seedling Champion and Grand Champion of show.

1955 Central International Show, Wabash, Ind. American Home Achievement Award.

3 spike Seedling Champion, Reserve Champion of show.

Single spike Seedling Champion.

Larchmont a high quality Glad will be introduced at a reasonable price to give everyone a chance to grow this fine variety.

L \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.00, Bulblets .75 each. UNIT 3 large, 3 med., 3 sm. and 25 blbts. \$21.50 UNIT 10 lar. 10 med., 10 sm. & 150 blbts. \$100.

CENTURY (412) ME

Century a true commercial yellow that will be in great demand by the cut flower grower and the florist. We have grown Century since 1947. Its performance and health most satisfactory. Our florist rates Century the best yellow as it is deeper in color than most ruffled yellows. H. M. Sherman, Jr. won champion seedling at Pennsylvania in 1954 shown as No. 13-50-47. The fluted and needlepoint florets have a glossy sheen and perfect facing. Field height 56 inches with 25 inch flower head, 20 buds with 7 open and 6 showing color. Bulblet production and germination the best. Century is a very constant grower and does not misplace or crook.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Bulblets .50 each. UNIT 5 lar., 5 med., 5 sm. and 50 blbts. \$30.00. UNIT 10 lar., 10 med., 10 sm. and 250 blbts. \$75.

HALO (401) E

A strikingly beautiful Corona type Gladiolus. The ruffled and recurved florets are predominately white with a halo of rose pink around each petal. Halo is a truly good commercial. Last summer we could not supply our florists demand. Over all height 54 inches with 25 inch flower head, 20 or more buds, 8 open and 6 showing color. Does not burn or crook. Bulblet production and germination excellent.

Halo has been approved by the Hybridizers Guild also by H. M. Sherman, Jr. who has grown it for years and recommends it as a top commercial. We have grown Halo since 1947 which makes it possible for us to introduce it at a lower price.

Price same as above.

1956 INTRODUCTIONS FROM LEONARD W. BUTT

Two Wonderful New Ruffled Miniatures

GREEN THUMB (Statuette x Sdlg.) (212)

Appropriately named, this brilliant new ruffled miniature reaches a new high in both color and form.

Buds are so beautiful, like rosebuds, and really green. Fully open, deep greenish yellow, deeper in the throat, a solid unmarked color without blemish. The general effect of an arrangement of **Green Thumb** or a corsage is that of the Lady Slipper Orchid - Beautiful!

Floret form is outstanding. Deeply ruffled and very heavy substance. Physical characteristics are as follows: Height 38" - 40", 20" flower heads, 16-17 buds, 7-8 florets open, 5 in color, straight spikes and excellent placement and attachment.

Green Thumb is for both the exhibitor and for arrangements. Its uses are unlimited. Thoroughly tested, it has won approval in Trial Grounds in Canada, England and United States (60 days).

LIFE (Bo-Peep x Twinkles) (252)

Fine, clear, light red with sharply contrasting yellow throat. This startling glad has been a real beacon for all visitors to our gardens when this is in bloom.

Plants run 36 - 38" and the slender spikes are always straight. Runs 16-18 buds with 6-7 3" heavily ruffled florets open, well placed and attached. This lovely ruffled miniature will steal your heart and for arrangements is a knockout. (70 days).

Three Fine Large-Flowered Introductions

BRIGADOON (Benj Britten X Evangeline) (566)

Bluish mauve blending to a yellowish throat, a very refined and compelling color. Spikes are strong and straight and have grown over 60" in height with 30" of flower head. 20-22 buds with 8-9 open, 6-7 in color and fine placement and attachment.

Brigadoon proved to be one of our best mid-early varieties for cut bloom and was eagerly sought after by the florists because of its fine usable color and splendid spikes.

Rated very well in 1953 Trial Grounds with one operator reporting it very outstanding. Award of merit British Gladiolus Society 1954. Seemingly it combines the best points of both parents (70 days).

GOLDEN HARVEST (Spun Gold x Sdlg.) (412)

It has long been our ambition to introduce a yellow glad of good, clear color and one that produces big strong spikes right down the row.

Golden Harvest has bloomed well for us each year during its trial period. Spikes are always straight, average 48" - 50" in height, 22" - 24" flower heads, nicely tapering to end. Of the 20 buds, 7 will open at once, well placed and attached and range between 5 and 5½" in size. Lightly frilled.

Rated quite well in the Trial Grounds and received an award of merit from British Gladiolus Society in both 1953 and 1954. Several prominent U. S. growers tested this in 1955 and were favorably impressed with its possibilities as both a commercial and exhibition variety.

MANDALAY (Dusty Miller x Redowa) (590)

Mahogany red smoky that is a real giant in size. Florets over 6" in size and spikes will grow 60"

and more in height with flower heads of 30". 20-21 buds are usual with 6-7 florets open at once. One spike is a real bouquet.

In introducing this we are conscious that not everyone will warm up to a smoky glad, but we know that people who drop in to get bloom invariably want one or more in each bunch. Every spring we seem to be short of bulbs of smoky varieties, thus attesting to their popularity. (80 days).

Prices on all 1956 Introductions

Green Thumb, Life, Bridadoon, Golden Harvest and Mandalay

\$2.00 PER BULB - ANY SIZE

Special collection - one bulb each of all 5 new varieties (Reg. value \$10.00) for \$6.95 (you save \$3.05)

Grower's Units (of any variety)

Coll. NA 10 bulbs and 100 bulblets - \$15.00

Coll. NB 15 bulbs and 200 bulblets - \$25.00

Coll. NC 10 bulbs and 200 bulblets of each one (50 bulbs and 1000 bulblets in all) for \$100.00.

A real opportunity to get off to a wonderful start in all these new varieties. We reserve the right to limit the number of collections NC we will supply because at this low price we expect to be swamped.

FROM ELMER GOVE

(Champlain View Gardens)

BIRD OF PARADISE (506) (Sommers-Koerner)

Here is a grand novelty, totally unlike anything or any other variety in existence. The ruffled, fluted, serrated, needle-pointed petals are long and narrow all about the same size. Florets are wide open sometimes reaching 8 inches across. The color is creamy pinkish apricot with light pink edges and deep coral red in the throat. Texture is heavy like a sea shell. The florists like it as it is tops for arrangements. The past two years at \$3.00 each it has been a fine seller. This year at a price most everyone can afford, it will be extremely popular.

\$1.00 each for any size.

GATES OF PEARL (507) (McRae)

Tho this is classified as cream it is really a light pink. It is creamy white strongly tinted pink. Instead of fading after cutting as most varieties do it deepens in color and gets much prettier. It is very beautiful and grand for any purpose. It grows 4½ feet tall and over, with 8 or more well placed and attached blooms open. A small basket at Binghamton this past season attracted a lot of favorable comment. A fine opener and will make a grand cut-flower variety.

This variety was supposed to be entered in the All American Trials last year but thru a fluke did not get entered. I am sure it would have been a winner as it is fully as good as the winners already selected. You can't miss on this one.

Bulbs any size \$1.00 each.

PATMOS (586) (McRae) (LM)

Very beautiful rose-ash with brilliant rose throat. The color is soft and beautiful not harsh. Far better than Tan-Glo tho may not hold so many open. Opens 8, 5½ to 6 inch, ruffled florets on a 20 bud spike with 5 - 8 showing, 26 inch head, 5 feet or more tall. Good placement and attachment. Strong, straight stems. Good propagator.

Bulbs any size \$1.00 each.

Recent Introductions of Merit

ACE OF SPADES (554) (Sisson '50) (EM)

A fine tall growing ruffled and needle pointed velvety black red. Opens 5-6 on a real long flowerhead. If you like blacks this is one of the most reliable.

L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-.80

ALBESCA (300) (Armstrong '51) (EM)

Everyone likes the whites and those who grow for floral use will find this one about the best in the 300 class. A beautiful heavily ruffled pure white with a greenish throat. Medium tall grower and every spike can be cut, an all-around ace performer.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

ALLAH (490) (Harris '53) (EM)

Smokey fans all go for this one. Very unusual mixture of grayish brown with a slight red feather in the throat. Ruffled and needle-pointed florets. Tall grower with 6 open.

L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 3-.25; 100-\$4.00

ANGELS SERENADE (406) (White '55) (E)

One of the best 1955 introductions. A very pale, almost white, heavily ruffled and heavy textured beauty. Grows about 50 inches tall with 24 inch flowerhead and 19 buds. 8 open, 6 in color.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 2-.25; 10-\$1.00

ANGEL WINGS (300) (Kolb '54) (EM)

This is in our opinion the finest and most reliable 300 white we have ever grown. A truly white glad with a throat that shows some green that fades to almost a solid white. Floret petals are delicately crimped at the edges. Substance is very good. Angel Wings grows so good and multiplies so rapidly that we are able to offer this at a reduced price.

L .60; M .40; S .30; Blbts. 6-.25; 100-\$3.00

ARSENAL (452) (EM)

Our Holland import. A rich deep red that when grown and bloomed either early or real late — as it does not like the extreme heat — can make some tremendous spikes. Grows equally well from large bulbs as from medium which makes it a good commercial variety and is quite widely grown as such.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25; 100-.60

AVENGER (464) (Pehrson '55) (M)

An eye-catching deep, glistening velvety rose, with a large inverted U in the throat. Grows medium tall with 19 to 21 buds on good stem. 5 1/4 in. florets of excellent substance.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. .25; 10-\$2.00

BARRETT'S BEAUTY (401) (Barrett '52) (M)

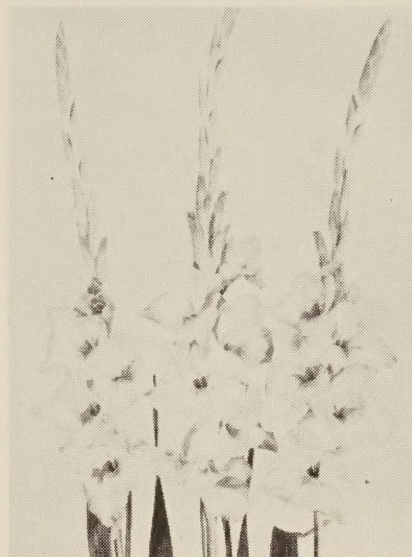
A beautiful ruffled, needle-pointed, creamy white glad with some rose penciling in the throat. If you show here is a sure blue ribbon winner and a wonderful basket glad. It has never failed to win us a blue ribbon every time we have set it on the show table.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.40; Blbts. 10-.50

BENGAL ROSE (562) (Butt '55) (M)

A large, tall growing, deep rose-lavender, with slightly deeper throat. Can open up to 8 on 20 to 22 bud 28 inch flowerhead. Grew rather well in our extreme heat this past season.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50



BENGAL ROSE

BLUEBERRY (478) (Harris '53) (EM)

Surprise grower in 1955 for while we have grown it for the past three years, this season it was one of our most outstanding performers. Reports are also being made by others of its exceptional performance. Blueberry is a medium blue with very slight coloring in the throat — nearly a self. 19 buds, 8 open on a tall fine stem makes it our best blue in '55.

L .75; M .50; Blbts. 3-.25

BERGEN (470) (Van Voorhis) (EM)

Bright rose-purple that can grow quite tall. Crooks occasionally when forced too hard in very hot weather. We've had it grow shoulder high with up to 22 buds on a 28-30 inch flowerhead.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50

BLUE DEVIL (479) (Larus '51) (EM)

A clear deep violet with a rose blotch on a conspicuous white throat. A rather hard variety to grow right, but when well grown there is nothing like it and it can be quite outstanding. Must be forced to do well.

L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 3-.25; 100-\$5.00

BLUE HAZE (490) (M)

Holland variety that appeals to some of the smoky fans. A unusual and hard color to describe — a deep smoky red over which appears a thin bluish veil. Exceptionally good healthy grower.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 3-.25; Blbts. 25-.25; 100-.60



BLUE DEVIL

BLUE RADIANCE (477) (Clarke '55) (EM)

1955 saw two new light blues introduced that look pretty good — Blue Radiance and Sailor Boy. B. Radiance is a very light blue with a deep purple line on a deeper blotch in the throat. Florets are lightly ruffled opening 8 with 6 in color. Excellent placement on good stems.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .60; Blbts. 10-\$1.00

BRIER (462) (Palmer '51) (M)

A simply beautiful rose-lavender with a creamy white throat. Extra fine texture and ruffling. Finely ruffled. Spikes are only of moderate height but placement of florets is excellent and flowerhead is of good length. One of the most beautiful of all the rose-lavenders.

L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-.80

BUTTERFLY (467) (Klein '53) (E)

One of the new butterfly varieties — glads having very small bottom floret petals which turn under — that are so popular. It is heavily ruffled of fine substance and is a multi-colored glad, being lavender pink with a reddish blotch on a yellow throat. Grew very well for us in '55.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.00

CAMDEN (406) (Van Voorhis '54) (M)

Deep cream or very light yellow with very pale lavender throat lines. 4¾" slightly ruffled florets on 24 bud spike of good length. Liked by many for its reliable growth.

L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.00

CANUCK (632) (Tyndall '53) (M)

Here's a giant—a huge soft salmon with lighter throat on which are reddish throat marks. Opens 8-8 and florets have been measured at up to 8 inches across. If you like to grow the big ones — here is one of the big ones.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

CAPE MAY (300) (Van Voorhis '54) (M)

Almost a pure white — very faint blue rib markings tho not strong enough to detract or to take it out of the pure white classification. Has a good show record as well as being a good florist glad.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

CATRONIA (406) (J. Taylor '53) (ME)

A much improved Lady Jane makes Catronia a favorite for those who like the light ones. A pale, unmarked yellow, almost a cream. Florets are slightly ruffled, wide open and firmly attached. Good height with a good flowerhead.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

CONRAD (413) (Tyndall '55) (L)

One of the best of the 1955 introductions! A very tall, deep, yellow with a scarlet feather on lower petal. Fine, deep color with lightly ruffled and fluted florets. Its exceptional vigor is going to make this one of our very best yellows.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .60; Blbts. 10-\$1.00



CONRAD

CHEROKEE (590) (Snyder '53) (M)

Very distinctive rich velvety shade of bronze-red with a flame blotch. 20 buds, 7 open, 6 in color. Florets are ruffled and fluted and of excellent texture.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

CONSTELLATION (437) (Klein '53) (M)

Mandarine red with carmine blotch. Quite heavily ruffled and of heavy texture makes it a desirable variety. Medium height. Opens up to 8 and they have always been perfectly placed.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

CORAL ACE (532) (Coral Ace '52) (M)

Another fine sport of Burma. A rich, waxy coral pink. One has to visualize Burma in a coral pink and you have one of the most pleasing glads possible. Excellent for floral use as the color is "just right."

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

CORSAGE (361) (Knight '51) (M)

For those who like the unusual you must grow Corsage. Florets are heavily lacinated, needle-pointed and a mixture of cream with rose markings, sometimes on the edges, sometimes in the throat or both. Very unique. Try it for something different.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 00-.70

CROWN JEWELL (467) (Fischer '51) (EM)

A very attractive ruby throated rose pink. Florets are frilled and ruffled. 8-9 blooms open. A fine blotched glad you'll enjoy growing.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30 S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.70

CRUSADER (301) (Fischer '52) (E)

Probably our best performer in 1955. A beautiful heavily ruffled white with a conspicuous pansy-purple throat blotch. Early blooming and an excellent cut and basket glad.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

DAVID WARR (436) (Warr '53) (M)

A very fine tall rich scarlet, somewhat needle-pointed and heavily ruffled of very fine texture. A very reliable grower — did very well despite our hot, dry weather. Should become one of the leading reds as it becomes more widely distributed. Can open 8 to 10.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

DISPLAY (520) (Ficht '52) (M)

Splendid apricot-orange that has to be seen to be really appreciated. Spikes are tall, up to 5 feet, strong and always straight. Opens 9.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

DREAM GIRL (444 - Dutch) (Early)

A wonderful new Dutch origination that looks like a coming commercial. Wide open florets of a soft magnet-pink. Tall grower with up to 8 open.

L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-.80

DUSK (483) (Fischer '55) (M)

A dusky shade of old rose ruffled florets with a large bold white throat. Exceptionally healthy and vigorous grower. Sister seedling of Wild Rose.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

EARLY RED (450) (Knight '53) (E)

Pure clear red with no trace of orange. Heavy substance and nicely ruffled. Just about the best real early red and a coming commercial. Tall.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80

EDGEWOOD (463) (Torrie-Flad) (M)

Tall medium rose with rose lavender feather. Opens 8 nicely ruffled blooms on a 20 bud spike. Very popular color which will make it very popular.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

EMILY'S BIRTHDAY (324) (Butt '54) (E)

One of the very earliest to bloom. A new butterfly variety of apricot-salmon with a yellow throat dusted with scarlet. Medium height.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50

ERIN (490) (Pruitt '55) (ME)

A new "green" novelty. Not quite as deep a green as we are all trying to find but the best effort so far. Fairly tall, with good flowerhead of 24 inches average. Throat is slightly marked with a smoky-pink feather.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 2-.30; 10-\$1.20

ETHERAL (540) (Burns '52) (M)

This is the best exhibition variety we grow. A very tall, large spike of light pink with a white throat. Finely proportioned spikes with many open that are hard to beat on any show table.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

EVENING STAR (500) (Barrett '51) (M)

About the most heavily ruffled white glad grown. Extra heavy substance. Opens 8 on a tall 28" flowerhead. Price is now down so everyone can enjoy this intense ruffling.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

FIRE OPAL (422) (Fischer '54) (ME)

Bright orange with golden throat. Heavy texture and ruffling. Grows 54 inches tall, has 17-18 buds with 6 open. Looks like a coming commercial.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

FORT KNOX (412) (Torrie '53) (M)

A large, deep yellow. Taller grower with more buds than Gold and about the same color. 5 to 6 foot tall is average.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

FRANCESCA (566) (Toban '50) (L)

Most beautiful glad grown! A light rose pink with a creamy throat — a beautiful blending of color. Florets are heavily ruffled and of excellent substance. Fairly tall, willow stem of 18 buds, 6 open.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

GOLD (412) (Marshall '51) (M)

Now a leading commercial rich clear golden yellow. 6-8 open on 15-16 bud flowerhead. Tall. Slightly ruffled.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30 Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.75

GOLD BANK (410) (Bastian '53) (E)

A beautiful light yellow, heavily ruffled and needle-pointed. Long stretchy head with 21 buds, 8 open, 8 in color. Stands heat and bad weather very well tho occasionally it will crook.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

GOLD BOND (510) (Harris '53) (ML)

Fine new medium yellow. Long flowerhead, 20 to 21 buds with 8 open. A rich canary yellow nicely ruffled and of heavy texture.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

GOLD CHEVRON (310) (Beaton '50) (M)

On the unusual side — florets are lacinated and needle-pointed. Florets are light yellow without any noticeable trace of another shade. Up to 6-7 open. Florets are well-placed on tall and always straight spikes.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.70

GOLDEN DIANA (412) (Harris) (M)

A surprise grower for us in 1955, but apparently not new to some others, for reports from others rate it tops. A clear deep yellow, ruffled and of heavy texture. Tall with 24 inch flowerhead. A really reliable yellow.

L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50

GOLDRUFF (312) (Palmer '53) (M)

Butterfly apricot-yellow with yellow throat. The butterfly varieties are characteristically of very heavy texture and intense ruffling with very small bottom lip petals. A beautiful blending of two colors.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

GRATIA (476) (Holland) (EM)

A popular variety in our garden. A light to medium blue. Has been a fine performer making good spikes of good height and nice flowerheads. Its only fault is that it opens only 4-5.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

GREAT DAY (466) (Allen '53) (M)

A glorified Elmer's Rose, slightly deeper rose, heavily ruffled and needle-pointed. 21 buds, 8 opens, 7 in color. Did better than Elmer's Rose for us the last two years.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

HERALD (317) (Palmer '54) (M)

Another butterfly variety. Deep yellow with a blending of some orange shadings and a large red throat blotch. Extra heavy texture and intense ruffling. Medium height.

L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$4.00

HOWARD J. WARR (552) (Warr '55) (M)

A new glistening medium red growing 56 inches tall, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color. Extra heavy texture, ruffled, needle-pointed. A really brilliant color.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. .25 each

INDELIBLE (370) (Harris '52) (M)

Bright purple of excellent substance. A welcome addition to the purple class for either exhibition or commercial purposes. Tall grower, 13 buds, 8 open.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

INDIGO (478) (Butt '54) (EM)

Rich pansy-blue (nearly purple) with a reddish throat. 48" tall average, 17-19 buds, 7-9 open. One you'll surely like.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24; 100-\$3.50

IROQUOIS (452) (Kolb '54) (E)

Medium large red with a deeper red throat. One of our best cutters this hot past summer. Not a giant but a rather reliable grower and a good color. May make a good commercial.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

JESSIE MAE (443) (Knight '52) (M)

Rich deep pink with scarlet feather. Heavily ruffled. Grows 58" with 24" flowerhead, 20 buds and wonderful attachment. Extra heavy texture. Likes forcing for peak performance.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00



JESSIE MAE

JUNO (460) (Fischer '55) (M)

A new light rose of refinement. Actually the color is more of a salmon blending into a cream throat. A most reliable grower and a coming commercial. Tall, 20 bud spikes, 8 open.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

KAREN (471) (Mazur '52) (ML)

A striking novelty — deep violet red or magneta with a bold cream center and white mid ribs. Florets are somewhat waved and well rounded, with 8 to 10 open. A really attractive variety.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

KERRY DANCER (336) (Butt '55) (E)

Butterfly variety. A delightful scarlet with a prominent yellow throat, dusted with red pepper. Just a little bit short on buds but can stretch out and can fool you as to bud count. Makes for a very attractive arrangers glad.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-25; 10-50

KING DAVID (570) (Carlson '51) (M)

Deep purple with velvety red throat with a picotee edge around the petals. Heavily winged, ruffled and fluted. Fine tall grower, 20 to 24 buds with up to 10 open at once.

L 2-40; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-80

KNIGHTHOOD (470) (Fischer '52) (M)

Here's one that drew considerable comment this past season. A very rich pansy purple with rounded florets. Somewhat ruffled. Snow white stamens just set it off. Very attractive, tall, sturdy grower.

L 2-40; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-80

LAVENDER BEAUTY (466) (Kolb '50) (M)

One of the finest and most beautiful in the light

lavender class. (A fine single spike was judged Reserve Champion at the Iowa State show at Algona against entries of the Shrimp Bros., who had the Grand Champion.) It grows tall and can open 8 easily. 100% cutter. A must.

L 2-30; M 3-30 S 4-30; Blbts. 20-25; 100-70

LIBERTY (432) (Larus '53) (ML)

A fine new clear light scarlet or medium orange-salmon self of excellent form with light ruffling. A strong, husky grower usually 60 inches tall with 19-21 buds on long flowerheads with 7-10 open.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-25; 100-\$3.50

LOOK (540) (Rockley Gardens) (ML)

A glistening light pink. Grows tall with long flowerhead, 20 buds, 6 open. Takes extreme heat and drought. A real light pink.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

LYNNE HILL (462) (Teeple '52) (M)

A wonderful new color in a rose purple with deeper throat and each petal edged in silver. Ruffled, 7 open, nearly all the rest in color.

L .25; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00



LEAH GORHAM



LIBERTY



PRINCESS

MADRIGAL (442) (Butt '55) (M)

Ace performer in 1955. A beautiful Azelea pink with a deeper diffused throat. 5 feet tall, 30 inch flowerhead, 19-20 buds, 8 open. Finely ruffled, excellent substance and very good attachment. You're going to hear a lot about this variety.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-25; 10-50

MALABAR (452) (Warr '54) (ME)

About the best hot weather red in existence today — you just can't burn it. Unique too with a dark black red throat blotch. Deep scarlet heavily ruffled of excellent texture. Medium height with 20 buds, 8 open. Try it.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-25; 100-\$3.50

MANDARIN (436) (Woods '51) (M)

Another favorite of ours. Deep tomato red with deeper red markings on lower petals. Straight willowy spikes of 22 buds. Heavily ruffled, wide open with raised midribs.

L .35; M .25; S 2-30; Blbts. 10-25; 100-\$1.80

MARGERY (462) (Melk '53) (EM)

Highly rated by everyone who grows it, Margery is a bright cerise rose with a deeper rose throat. 58 inches tall, 28 in flowerhead, 21 buds and 8 open. Destined to become a very fine commercial as its habits are most reliable.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

MARIGOLD (416) (Palmer '54) (L)

A rich, clear tangerine orange. Good straight grower with a strong stem, 53" - 55" tall, 20 buds, 8 open. Nicely ruffled.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-25; 100-\$3.50

MENELIK (554) (Salman '50) (ML)

A Dutch variety of exceptional merit. A clean black red with a rosy tinge blending deeper at the base of petals. Blue toned purple line on ribs. Can grow a very fine long flowerhead and 10 open is not unusual. One of the very best and does well every season.

L .35; M .25; S 2-30; Blbts. 10-25; 100-\$1.80

MINARET (432) (Fischer '55) (M)

A new salmon-pink with an ivory throat, slightly ruffled. Opens 8 on a long flowerhead. Tall grower and destined to be a good commercial because of its consistent performance under all conditions.

L .60; M .40; S .30; Blbts. 6-25; 100-\$3.00

NAOMI (300) (Tyndall '55) (EM)

A very ruffled pure white with a cream throat—a sport of Wedgwood. For those who can grow beautiful wedgwood here is a most beautiful white. Could make a good early commercial white.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

NEGUS (354) (K & M '51) (M)

This is without a doubt the finest medium size velvety brown-red available today. A sure blue ribbon winner on the show table and a typical spike can carry up to 12 perfect blooms open on a

tall 20-22 bud spike. A beauty to behold and an easy one to grow. Slow propagator.

L .25; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

ORCHID FRILLS (466) (Fischer '55) (M)

We think this one of the more beautiful of Fischers new introductions. Resembles its parent Elizabeth the Queen in form except the color is a beautiful light orchid-pink with a slightly creamy throat, nicely ruffled.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

PENNANT (440) (Palmer '52) (L)

Fine light rose-pink that can open up to 12. Responds to forcing well. Sister seedling of Evangeline. Perfect placement.

L .25; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

PINK DIAMOND (440) (Fischer '54) (EM)

Light pink of exceptionally heavy texture and heavily ruffled. Fine tall spikes but we noticed a little flecking due to our extremely hot and dry summer — but its a fine color when well grown.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

PINK CHIFFON (440) (Fischer '53) (EM)

We've always felt that this was about the finest very light orchid-pink glad for arrangements grown. The color is enhanced considerably under artificial light. A medium height glad and quite early.

L .40; M .30; S 2-40; Blbts. 9-25; 100-\$2.00

PINK ELEGANCE (540) (White '55) (M)

A new candidate for "best" glad. You're going to hear a lot about this one in the years to come, for its form and beauty are hard to beat. A beautiful La France pink with the two lower petals being almost a clear white. Texture is very heavy and ruffling is superb. Grows 54 inches tall, 26 inch flowerhead and 19 buds. A MUST.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 2-30; 10-\$1.20

POLARIS (500) (Butt '54) (M)

A very tall, giant white that is just to big — for us anyway — tho we've had reports that it did very well in cooler weather than we have. In 1954 we had florets measuring 8 inches across.

L .25; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

PORTIA (400) (Larus '52) (M)

A lightly ruffled pure white with a small creamy-buff throat. Opens 6 perfectly placed 5" florets on a tall, well balanced spike. Good commercial prospects.

L .25; M 2-30; S 3-30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

POWDER PUFF (460) (Allen '53) (M)

A ruffled and needle-pointed smoky old rose. Imagine Rosita with a smoky screen and you have the color. Fine for the smoky fan.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-25; 100-\$2.50

PRINCESS (466) (Larus '53) (ML)

Becoming the leading rose-lavender — seems destined to replace Elizabeth the Queen as it grows better, taller and will open more florets, up to 10. Stem is very good and is nearly as perfect a performer as can be expected of any variety.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

PRINCESS AURORA (420) (Kydd '53) (ML)

An extra fine very tall growing deep orange with a yellow throat. Opens up to 9 ruffled blooms on a 24" flowerhead of 22 buds.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

PROSPECTOR (410) (Leffingwell '53) (M)

Amber yellow which is a quite different shade than the usual yellow. Opens 8 to 10 perfectly placed ruffled, fluted, pointed and recurved florets on fine tall stems of 22 buds. Here is one of the newer ones you'll surely be pleased with.

L .60; M .40; S .30; Blbts. 6-.25; 100-\$3.00

PURPLE BURMA (570) (Boewe '55) (M)

One of the finest of the many Burma sports. Exactly like Burma except the color is a fine suede-like purple. Very rapid propagator, thus the low price for a '55 introduction.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80

RED FEATHER (552) (Butt '51) (M)

The red giant of the glad world. Blood-red color, very clear and yet not too dark. Tall grower and 23 bud spikes with 10-12 open are not uncommon.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

RED TAPE (550) (Butt '53) (ML)

Another red giant, a shade or two darker than Red Feather, but about the same type and performance record. 18-19 buds with 7-8 open.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

REGINA (520) (Palmer '53) (M)

A wide open, waved and ruffled apricot and yellow with a mild scarlet blotch. Florets are somewhat needle-pointed and are of excellent texture. Wonderful variety.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

ROSALIND (430) (Palmer '54) (M)

A blending of soft pastel pink and yellow. Heavy texture, heavily ruffled and fluted. Usually 55" tall with 21 buds and 8 open.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50

ROSARIO (463) (Fischer '53) (M)

Sister seedling of Noweta Rose. Vivid rose with deeper prominent blotch in throat. Mildly ruffled and recurved. Has been a better grower for us than Noweta Rose — more consistently at least.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

ROSEBUD PICOTEE (460) (Fischer '53) (EM)

Ruffled white florets with a rose-pink halo or picoteeing, plus an infusing of cream on the lip. Somewhat similar to Columbia except rose-pink is a much softer and more delicate shade.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25; 100-\$2.00

ROSE LUSTRE (532) (Clark '55) (M)

Large bright deep salmon with a slightly deeper throat. (Looks more rose than salmon to us—and grew exceptionally well in '55.) Tall grower with stretchy head with up to 10 open. Ruffled. You'll hear more about this one too, we predict.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .60; Blbts. 10-\$1.00

ROSELYN (464) (Tyndall '53) (EM)

A deep rose with darker lower lip petals. A rich, beautiful rose, ruffled and of heavy texture. 8 open, 6 in color. Early and vigorous grower.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80

ROSITA (563) (Woods '52) (M)

A tall growing rose with lighter picotee edges and deeper rose throat. Opens 8 or more fluted and frilled florets.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

ROSY WINGS (562) (Vergote '52) (M)

A beautiful light rose, ruffled of heavy texture. Wide open florets which lay back against the stem. Can open up to 10.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

ROYAL VELVET (470) (Tyndall '53) (M)

A soft pleasing shade of medium purple, extra heavy texture. Grows 56", with a 25" flowerhead, 6 open, 6 in color. A very pleasing and rather unusual shade of purple.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

RUFFLED EBONY (454) (Fischer '53) (M)

Black red of unusual beauty. Heavily ruffled and rounded florets. Short on bud count, usually only 16, but still a very wonderful grower. Does well from all size bulbs.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

SAILOR BOY (476) (White '55) (M)

A new color in blue — a medium to light blue with a pale yellow throat on which are some deeper blue lines and a blue spear. Grew very well in '55, tall and straight and opened 6. A good new light blue.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10-\$1.50

SALMAN'S SENSATION (578) (Salman '53) (L)

Clean medium-deep blue violet, shaded deeper in lower throat. Very tall grower — you'll probably have to stake it if you force it. 18 buds with 6 open. Our stock is coming direct from Holland as heavy fall orders cleaned us out of our locally grown stock.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80

SALMON QUEEN (532) (Schrenck '55) (M)

The most talked of variety introduced in 1955 — and rightly it should be. Had a wonderful show record for a new introduction. Salmon with a creamy-white throat, heavily ruffled and needle-pointed florets. Grows 56" tall with a 32" flowerhead with up to 10-11 open. One you'll surely have to have.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 3-.50

SCARAB (584) (Snyder '54) (EM)

Light rose-pink blending out to a smoky rose-pink at the edges and lighter to light yellow throat, which is overlaid with a large spearhead marking of cerise rose. Tall, 18 buds, 7 open.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

SENEGAL (470) (Palmer '50) (M)

Brilliant red purple — nice and clean. Florets are finely waved and ruffled. 7-8 open on 20 bud spike of 30".

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

SHALLIMAR (362) (Marek '52) (EM)

A beautiful shade of rose, with deeper shade of rose in throat and each petal edged in silver. Ruffled and frilled. 20 buds, 8 open, perfect facing and spacing.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

SNOWDRIFT (400) (Fischer '54) (EM)

Heavily ruffled and textured white. Grand champion possibilities when well grown. Usually tall, up to 24 buds with 10 open. Good glad for forcing.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

SONOMA (537) (Lund '51) (L)

Brilliant scarlet with soft cream throat. A giant with a long flowerhead with up to 25-26 buds. Up to 10 open. Stock very limited.

L .30; M 2-.40; S 3-.35; Blbts. 12-.25; 100-\$1.50

SPARKLING EYES (401) (Jack '53) (M)

Here's a fine white with a small but prominent purple blotches on the lower petals. Tall grower with 7-8 open on a 20-24 bud spike. Very popular variety.

L .30; M 2-.40; S 3-.35; Blbts. 12-.25; 100-\$1.50

SPRITE (320) (Palmer '52) (ML)

Butterfly. A fine blending of orange and yellow. Florets are heavily ruffled and needle-pointed resembling huge butterflies. Heavy texture.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30 S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.70

SUMMER QUEEN (542) (Fischer '55) (M)

Introduced as a commercial this popular color should prove very popular. A nice salmon-pink of exceptional growing ability and health. It opens 8 large, ruffled florets of good substance on straight stems of good height.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

SUSAN KAY (440) (Mikle '53) (M)

A heavy textured, beautifully ruffled, warm pink with a creamy yellow throat. Opens 6 very fine florets, well attached, on straight stems of good height.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00

TIMES SQUARE (570) (Butt '54) (EM)

A new purple, similar in style to King David except for color. Times Square is more to the magenta side and fairly sparkles. 55" tall, 18 buds, 7 open. Excellent placement with flaring frilled florets.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25; 100-\$3.50

TOBROEK (454) (Pfizer '49) (M)

This will never be a world beater, but we've always received more comments about Tobroek, Toean and Queen of the Night than any of the other black-reds we grow. Color is velvety brownish-red-black, somewhat ruffled and needle-pointed. Medium height, 17-18 buds, 6-7 open.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.75

TOEAN (354) (Butch) (M)

Another of our almost exclusive Holland imports, and again one that commands attention in our field. Nearly as black as Queen of the Night, except that Toean's florets are needle-pointed instead of round. 15 buds, 6 open.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.70

TOUCHDOWN (460) (Stinson '50) (M)

Medium rose pink. This has been one of our best growers. Makes fine spikes fairly tall, slightly ruffled, of exceptionally good texture. About the healthiest glad we've ever grown.

L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25; 100-.70

TRULY FAIR (464) (Woods '53) (E)

A beautiful American beauty red. Florists really go for this color. Tall willowy spikes, 22 buds, 7 open. Placement and attachment always the best.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25; 100-\$2.50

VELOUR (370) (Woods '55) (M)

Ted Woods introduced this wonderful Rhodamine purple and it's a fine one. Tall, stretchy flowerhead that can hold 10 open. Perfectly placed florets of intense beauty and color. This one is going to make the 300 show table a rough place.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 2-.30; 10-\$1.20

VENUS (476-Dutch) (EM)

A delightful new Dutch variety of a soft-lavender blue with a deep violet-blue blotch on lower petals. 6 to 8 open at once on a perfectly formed tall spike. Venus should become a very popular glad and has been outstanding this past year.

L .50; M .35; No small or bulblets

VIOLET CHARM (476) (Jack '53) (M)

Light violet with a broad, deep violet arrow on a cream throat. 10 open. 22 buds on a tall straight spike. Fine commercial and show flower.

L .30; M 2-.40; S 3-.35; Blbts. 12-.25; 100-\$1.50

WASHINGTON (540-Dutch) (EM)

One of the most outstanding new varieties from Holland. An exhibition variety that can open 10 or 12 of the most beautiful appleblossom pink florets its been our pleasure to ever grow. Tall with 24 to 28 inch flowerheads. Recommended and our bulbs have all been locally grown.

L .30; M .20; No small or bulblets

WHITE LACE (300) (Fischer '51) (E)

A splendid heavily ruffled, waxy white. Early blooming. Few whites can equal its beauty when well grown. Very fine for arrangements and a good propagator.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

WHITE PLUME (500) (Tyndall '55) (M)

New white similar to Mother Fischer but a little larger. Faint lavender line on midribs of lower petals. Tall, 30 inch flowerhead, up to 25 buds, 10 open. Slightly ruffled of excellent texture.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .60 Blbts. 10-\$1.00

Miniatures and Small Varieties

ALL BLOTCHES (261) (Van Voorhis '53) (70 days) A light creamy rose with very large purple blotches on all lower petals. Very showy. Grows tall with a wirey stem. Very healthy and clean.

L .25; M 2-.30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

ATOM (236) (Hodgecock '46) (80 days) A fiery scarlet with white edges. 15 buds with 4-5 open. Very fine and popular.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

BABS (210) (Pruitt '45) (68 days) One of our favorites of the miniatures. Trim heavily ruffled, wide open florets of pleasing light yellow. Not a pale yellow.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

BABY DECORAH (200) (Pruitt '35) (66 days) Nice small ruffled white. One of the old timers. Opens only 4 or 5.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

BAMBI (290) (Pierce '54) (80 days) An outstanding and distinctive chartreuse color, delicately ruffled glad. The chartreuse is further enhanced by a prominent orange-red throat mark and picotee of the same color. Has won many championships. 14-15 buds.

L or M \$2.00; S \$1.00; Blbts. .20, 10-\$1.50

BETTY BLUSHES (242) (Deming '51) (78 days) A provocative little pink glad. Just as its name implies ---it actually blushes.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

BONNIE PRINCE (262) (Barker '55) (E) A medium rose-lavender, heavily ruffled and needle pointed. Grows quite tall and can open 8 or its 16 buds.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 10-.50

BO-PEEP (231) (Butt '48) (65 days) Fine buff pink blending to creamy yellow throat. Heavy texture and ruffling. 6-7 open. One of the very first to bloom.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

BROWN ORCHID (290) (Van Voorhis '40) (85 days) Fine smoky brown with odd yellow mid ribs on a darker throat. Quite different.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

CLAUCARCY (241) (Maynard '52) (87 days) Pink with cream throat and light mid ribs. Extra long flower head of 18-20 buds. Can open 7. Has won quite a few awards on the show table.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

CORAL BELLS (136) (Clark '30) (70 days) Smallest bell shaped scarlet. Quite unusual arrangements can be made with Coral Bells.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

CRINKLETTE (224) (Butt '41) (70 days) The glad from which the ruffled miniature race springs. Orange pink and yellow. Slight feather in throat. Heavily ruffled.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

DAINTINESS (200) (Butt '53) (65 days) An exciting, heavily ruffled miniature in a new color that should make it much in demand. Daintiness is a creamy white with cream throat, no hint of any outside color or throat marking. 16 buds, 7 open. A must.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-15, 100-\$2.50



DAINTINESS

The finest new heavily ruffled white miniature. One every miniature fan must have.

DOLORES (240) (Vasaturo '43) (75 days) Light pink with large white throat. Three and four open on fine little spikes.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

FARMINGDALE (268) (Van Voorhis '54) (85 days) Dark lavender with slight yellow throat markings. Tall. 18 buds.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50

FIGURINE (217) (Butt '51) (68 days) An autumn toned glad in apricot and brown that builds an immaculate spike. Opens 8-9 precision placed florets and is tops for exhibition use as well as making interesting and attractive designs for florists use.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-25; 100-\$1.00

FLUFFY RUFFLES (206) (Brown '26) (75 days) A real old variety. A fine little cream. 3-4 lacinated florets open on 12-15 bud spikes.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

FLICKER (221) (Kuhn '46) (75 days) Medium orange with bright scarlet blotch on a yellow throat. A very spectacular color combination and a delightful all around miniature.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

GREMLIN (251) (Butt '52) (60 days) Good variety for small bowls and bouquets as the florets face up towards you. Other face up varieties are small and plain petalled and this is the first time we have had a ruffled glad of this type.
L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80

GOLDETTE (210) (Butt '54) (80 days) Deep golden yellow. One of our finest miniatures, as it sets a new style hardly conceived possible only a few years back. This is truly a miniature of the same type as the best in the big ones.
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 10-.50

GNOME (110) (Stancer '45) (70-75 days) Very small face up white.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

GOBLIN (242---E) Clear pink with yellow throat; fine color; heavy texture and very ruffled. Grows to medium height; spikes straight; 16-17 buds, 7 open; excellently placed and attached.
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50

JINGLES (230) (Lins '49) (93 days) One of the finer miniatures, a pinkish-salmon of extra fine ruffling. 15-17 bud spikes with 5-7 open. A sure must to the lover of small ones.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

LaARGENTINA (223) (Clark '28) (80 days) A tall bronzy orange with cream throat pencilled with red. 6 open on willowy stem. Good grower. Odd color but neat.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

LITTLE GOLD (220) (Fischer '50) (80 days) A deep rich golden yellow---the color of a golden yellow California poppy. Slightly ruffled, opens 4-5. The best real yellow miniature.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

MARY ANNE (240) (Klein '53) (68 days) A delightful little blush white with rose picotee border. One of the prettiest of glads and a florist's delight.
L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80

PELLETIER D'OISY 290) (Lemoine) (60 days) The favorite 'green' glad. Color is chartreuse with an orange edge and orange stippling over the flower. Will attract plenty of attention and is wonderful for home arrangements. Limited stock.
50c any size - No Blbts.

PETER PAN (233) (Butt '50) (75 days) Deep orange pink with darker throat, a fine self color. Perhaps the most ruffled of all the ruffled heavy textured miniatures originated by Butt. Tall stretchy spikes with 7-8 open.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

PICCOLO (101) (Koerner '47) (63 days) A face-up-white with scarlet markings. Very small floret. Attractive in arrangements.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

RED BUTTON (150) (Koerner '48) (62 days) Very early face up red. Another fine variety for miniature arrangements.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. p.xg. .25

QUEEN OF BREMEN (268) (Zimmer '28) (75 days) Lavender with cream throat. Nice spikes with 5-6 open.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

REDCAP (236) (Fischer '55) (80 days) A new red that should become quite popular with miniature growers. Tall, stretchy of a brilliant red.
L .60; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 6-.25, 100-\$3.00

SKALAWAG (242) (Butt '53) (80 days) A full sister to Bo-Peep. Dark pink with a clear yellow throat. Heavily ruffled. This will be one of the better miniatures and you will surely want to get a start of it.
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50

SONOPAL (261) (Van Voorhis '53) (70 days) Light to medium rose with a bright crimson spot in a yellow throat blotch. it is very striking and attractive. Grows straight and tall on a wiry stem.
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50

STATUETTE (213) (Butt '50) (65 days) Yellow with reddish throat feathers. Can top the miniature class at any show as it makes magnificent spikes with up to 9 open, perfectly placed and attached. Not quite as heavily ruffled as some of the others.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

TWINKLES (232) (Butt '48) (70 days) Probably the most popular miniature today. Heavy textured and ruffled bittersweet orange with a yellow throat feathered scarlet. For startling color it is a knock-out.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

TOYTOWN (224) (Butt '54) (60 days) From the first time this bloomed we referred to this as a super Twinkles. Similar in color it is a fine scarlet with an unmarked deep yellow throat. Grows 34"-36", an ideal height for a miniature with straight spikes. 17-18 buds, 7-8 open, well placed and attached. Very heavily ruffled and leathery texture. Excellent propagator and grower.
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 10-.50

THE ORCHID (26) (Sprague '24) (78 days) Outstanding old timer of light lavender. Visitors at our field always fell in love with this beauty. It looks very much like a real orchid.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

TONY BOY (263) (Kunderd '52) (M) Medium deep rich rose with lower petals creamy white with a wide rose border. Petals lacinated and recurved.
S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50

YELLOW BIRD (212) (Kuhn '46) (80 days) Clear medium yellow. Tall and always straight grower that can open 10-11. Florets are recurved and well spaced.
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

ZIG ZAG (251) (Pierce '54) (85 days) A light red with splashes of gold in the throat of the 3/4 inch florets. Up to 21 buds with 6-7 open on long flowerheads. Very outstanding variety.
L or M \$2.00; S \$1.00; Blbts. .30, 10-\$2.25

Regular and Commercial Varieties

Due to the extremely hot and dry weather last season and the heavy response to our fall list a few varieties listed here are already in short supply. Where possible indicate a second choice.

POSTPAID PRICES FOR ANY ONE VARIETY

* Large	2 for \$.25	10 for \$1.00
Medium	3 for .25	10 for .70
Small	5 for .25	10 for .40

BULBLETS—Bag .25 (Usually about 100)

ALGONQUIN (536) (Palmer '39) (80)

A real red red. Quite reliable.

ANDRENA (460) (Armstrong '50) (85)

A beautiful and reliable light phlox pink.

AUREOLE (410) (Pruitt '49) (80)

About the best commercial ruffled yellow.

BEAUTY'S BLUSH (440) (Fischer '47) (85)

Fine light blush pink. Leading commercial.

BETTY DUNCAN (422) (Benedict '49) (85)

Clear orange with golden throat.

BLACK OPAL (354) (Errey '36) (92)

Very popular dark red.

BLAZING FIRE (450) (Visser '49) (70)

A popular fire red from Holland.

BLUE BEAUTY (476) (Pfizer '36) (75)

An old blue variety—but still one of the best.

BOISE BELLE (433) (Roberts '48) (98)

Heavily ruffled salmon and gold. Takes forcing.

BOLDFACE (533) (Evans '47) (82)

Deep salmon scarlet with white throat—blotched.

BOULOGNE (564) (Salmon '47) (85)

Very fine silky wine red.

BRIDAL ORCHID (56) (Carlson '50) (85)

Popular very light clear lavender.

BUCKEYE BRONZE (490) (Wilson '40) (90)

A real rosy bronze—nearly brown. (No large)

BURMA (564) (Palmer '43) (88)

The finest rose-red of all time—heavily ruffled.

C. D. FORTNAM (440) (Kadel '50) (90)

Beautiful, tall, very pale rose pink on white. Ruffled.

CONN. YANKEE (441) (Schenetsky '44) (90)

Popular light pink with red throat blotch.

CUPID (300) (Fischer '49) (70)

Very early ruffled white. One of the best whites.

CYMBELINE (330) (Palmer '51) (80)

Rose salmon with a cream throat.

DIEPPE (436) (Hassel '45) (85)

Outstanding and reliable ruffled salmon-scarlet.

DR. FLEMING (442) (Salman '47) (85)

Brilliant deep pink and a fine Dutch variety.

DOLLY VARDEN (533) (Harris '50) (95)

Huge salmon with cream throat.

DUSTY MILLER (486) (Elliott '45) (85)

Smoky old rose with distinctive cream lines.

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (566) (White '41) (86)

The Queen of the glad world. Beautiful, heavily ruffled lavender with white throat.

ELMER'S ROSE (462) (Fischer '51) (85)

Heavily ruffled, heavy substance, deep rose.

ETHEL CAVE COLE (440) (Cave '41) (80)

Large early pink. (No large.)

FAIRYLAND (342) (Kadel '50) (85)

Heavily ruffled med. rose with small darker throat mark. Unusually attractive color.

FIREBRAND (436) (Butt '44) (85)

Very bright med. red blending to a slightly darker throat.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (400) (Harris '47) (88)

Fine Canadian white. Tall. One of the best.

FOLKLORE (462) (Butt '49) (75)

A fine, heavy substantiated deep orchid pink.

FRIENDSHIP (442) (Fischer '49) (70)

The best early ruffled pink with white throat.

GINGER (422) (Fischer '52) (85)

Heavily ruffled rich orange. (No small)

GOLDEN ARROW (410) (Pruitt '47) (85)

Leading Canadian yellow. Clean, slightly ruffled.

HAROLD K (536) (Knight '49) (85)

A giant clean deep scarlet. Tall grower.

HAWKEYE RED (450) (Heath '44) (85)

Fine medium red sport of Vagabond Prince.

- KLONDIKE** (412) (Snyder '47) (75)
Deep nearly orange yellow. Slight ruffling.
- HEATHER** (466) (Palmer '52)
Rose Mavue—a different color.
- JINI MARIE** (432) (Barrett '49) (80)
Heavily ruffled salmon-pink shading deeper in the throat.
- LADY ANNE** (400) (Buchanan '47) (67)
White with slightly canary-yellow throat. Very popular.
- LAKE PLACID** (406) (Wilson '45) (90)
Ruffled creamy white with cream throat.
- LEADING LADY** (506) (Johnson '42) (87)
Cream white sport of Picardy.
- LEIF ERICSSON** (506) (K & M '52) (85)
The giant of the new creams—about the very best.
- LODSTAR** (412) (Palmer '50) (80)
Beautiful ruffled light yellow. Exceptionally fine.
- MASCUSHLA** (460)
Deep Bengal rose with a satiny sheen.
- MAGNET** (562) (Fischer '52) (75)
Tall growing lavender rose. Sister Noweta Rose.
- MISS WISCONSIN** (462) (Kruger '43) (90)
Medium rose of outstanding beauty.
- NORDIC QUEEN** (540) (Fischer '52) (80)
One of the most beautiful flesh pinks blending into yellow throat. Heavily ruffled.
- NORTHERN LIGHTS** (400) (Stinson '49) (80)
Ruffled white with small purple lines in throat.
- NOWETA ROSE** (568) (Fischer '50) (85)
Rose lavender. The sensational glad.
- OKINAWA** (381) (Loar '50) (88)
Fine growing, light rosy chocolate. Different.
- ORANGE GOLD** (422) (Marshall '45) (80)
One of the very few true orange glads.
- PACTOLUS** (417) (K & M '47) (80)
Rich yellow apricot with large showy orange-red throat blotch.
- PARTHENIA** (568) (Hitchcock '49) (80)
A different shade of deep lavender.
- PEACH GLOW** (416) (Harris '51) (80)
Heavily ruffled buff orange.
- POINSETTIA** (450) (Johnson '52) (87)
Leading commercial scarlet-red. Very fine.
- POLYNESIA** (430) (K & M '50) (90)
Tall, strong growing salmon with lighter throat.
- RED CHARM** (452) (Butt '49) (85)
Very reliable red. Very hard to beat.
- RED GLEAM** (433) (Barrett '51) (80)
Heavily ruffled scarlet with yellow throat.
- ROSA VAN LIMA** (460) (Pfitzer '40) (80)
Rose pink—very fine commercial.
- ROSEBLOOM** (463) (Fischer '51) (85)
Rose lavender. Capable opening 10 easily.
- ROSE CHARM** (360) (Fischer '48) (65)
Very early light rose with creamy white throat.
- ROSE O'DAY** (462) (Fischer '44) (70)
Old timer—but still a beautiful rose-lavender.
- ROYAL WINDSOR** (550) (Beaton '46) (80)
Very good light red. 8 open.
- SALMAN'S GLORY** (507) (Salman '47) (80)
Large light cream with scarlet blotch in throat.
- SHERWOOD** (570) (Pruitt '48) (80)
Tall, silky red purple.
- SIERRA SNOW** (400) (Harris '51) (80)
Heavily ruffled new white. Very popular.
- SILVER WINGS** (500) (Ritsema '44) (88)
Ruffled pure white—sport of Picardy.
- SOUTHERN BELLE** (483) (Fischer '52) (75)
Vivid medium deep pink with smoky overcast.
- SPARKS** (411) (Glass '47) (95)
Glistening light yellow with orange scarlet feather on the lower petals. Very fine and reliable.
- SPIC & SPAN** (444) (Carlson '46) (80)
Most popular and leading show winner. Tall, ruffled medium pink. Very beautiful.
- STOPLIGHT** (450) (Lins '42) (90)
Fine old commercial very bright red.
- STORMY WEATHER** (480) (Barrett '47) (82)
King of the smokies. Blending of rose, ash, lavender and gray.
- STRAWBERRY PEACH** (517) (Salbach) (100)
Ruffled bright orange-pink with scarlet feather.
- THE RAJAH** (570) (Jack '51) (88)
Richly ruffled redish purple. One of the best.
- TREASURE ISLAND** (540) (Lins '47) (90)
Large, fine light rose orchid. (No small)
- VAGABOND PRINCE** (391) (Palmer '34) (80)
Mahogany brown with flame blotch.
- VULCAN (470)** (Stevens '42) (82)
Light purple. Popular old commercial.
- WANDA (506)** (80)
Very large cream.
- WEDGWOOD** (366) (Fischer '47) (80)
Heavily ruffled lavender with cream throat.
- WHITE GODDESS** (500) (Roberts '48) (80)
Creamy white that can open 7 to 9 heavily ruffled blooms.
- WHITE GOLD** (506) ('41) (70)
Large early cream white. A real oldtimer.
- WHITE WAVE** (500)
Lightly ruffled giant white.
- WINONA** (406) (Barrett '52) (72)
Ruffled and frilled cream with deeper throat.
- WINSTON CHURCHILL** (452) (Salman '52) (80)
Extremely fine, tall, plain peteled blood red.

QUANTITY PRICES - Not Prepaid

Prices are per 100. 25 or more of one size and variety at one-fourth 100 rate.

	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Bulblets	
							½ Pt.	Qt.
Angel Wings -----		30.00	25.00	20.00	15.00	12.00	20.00	60.00
Andrena -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Aureole -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.25	3.50
Beauty's Blush -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	3.50
Barrett's Beauty -----	22.00	18.00	14.00				10.00	30.00
Blue Beauty -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00		2.00	6.00
Bridal Orchid -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Buckeye Bronze -----		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Burma -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Cupid -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Dieppe -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	3.50
Dolly Varden -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Elizabeth the Queen -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Elmers Rose -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Florence Nightingale -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
Friendship -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Golden Arrow -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Leading Lady -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Leif Ericsson -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Orange Gold -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Pactolus -----	5.00	4.00	3.20				1.25	4.00
Polynesia -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50		1.25	4.00
Red Charm -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.25	4.00
Rosebloom -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Rose Charm -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.25	4.00
Rose O'Day -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.25	4.00
Salman's Glory -----	5.00	4.00	3.20				1.25	4.00
Sherwood -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.50	5.00
Spic & Span -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.50	5.00
Wanda -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
White Gold -----	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Winston Churchill -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00			2.00	6.00
Flicker -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Yellow Bird -----	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00

Quantity Prices are FOB Iowa Falls, Iowa

The Gladiolus Classification System

The number after the name of each variety in our general descriptive list denotes the official size and color classification of that variety as determined by a committee of the North American Gladiolus Council. We list these classification numbers because they are helpful to customers in determining the exact size and color classification of varieties they may want to buy or to exhibit at glad shows conducted under the auspices of the N. A. G. C., where this classification system is used.

Glad's are classified in five sizes as follows:

Miniature	100—florets under 2½"
Small	200—2½" through 3¼"
Medium	300—3¼" through 4⅜"
Large	400—4⅜" through 5⅝"
Giant	500—5⅝" or larger

For instance, turn to page 3. The first variety described, Ace of Spades, is followed by the number 554. The 500 means it has a floret size from 5½ or larger. The 54 designates this variety as a black red. Hence the numbers after the variety names tell the story of the size and color of the individual floret as grown under field conditions from large bulbs.

COLOR CLASSES

Class	
00 White	00 without conspicuous marking
White	01 with conspicuous marking
Cream	06
10 Yellow	10 (Light)
Yellow	12 (Deep)
Buff	16
20 Orange	20 (Light)
Orange	22 (Deep)
Orange	24 (Red Orange)
30 Salmon	30 (Light)
Salmon	32 (Deep)
Scarlet	36
40 Pink	40 (Light) without markings
Pink	41 (Light) with c. markings
Pink	42 (Deep)
50 Red	50 (Light)
Red	52 (Deep)
Red	54 (Black)
60 Rose	60 (Light)
Rose	62 (Deep)
Lavender	66
70 Purple	70
Violet	76 (Light)
Violet	78 (Deep)
80 Smoky Shades	
Smoky	82 (Orange Smoky)
Smoky	83 (Salmon Smoky)
Smoky	84 (Pink Smoky)
Smoky	85 (Red Smoky)
Smoky	86 (Lavender Smoky)
90 Any other color.	

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Just mark your order "I'll pay the postage."

FREE BULBS FOR NAMES!

SEND US THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF SOME OF YOUR GLAD GROWING NEIGHBORS WITH YOUR ORDER WHO WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE OUR CATALOG. WE'LL INCLUDE SOMETHING NEW FOR YOU TO TRY IN ADDITION TO THE USUAL EXTRAS

TERMS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

All orders must be accompanied by cash in full, or a 25% deposit will hold orders of \$5.00 or more for April delivery. Balance to be sent prior to delivery.

All orders of \$3.00 or more at retail will be sent prepaid at the proper planting time, usually in April. Due to the extreme high costs of handling, please try to make your orders total at least \$3.00.

FREE BULB FOR POSTAGE. If you will agree to remit for the amount of postage as shown on your package we will include with your order a FREE bulb which would retail for at least twice the amount of the postage. You may also send advance amount for postage and we will do the same. Usually the "bulbs for postage" are selected from the latest introductions—our choice. Just mark your order "I'll pay the postage."

Guarantee

We guarantee all bulbs and bulblets purchased from us to be true to name, full size and free of disease. We can not guarantee the crop you grow because there are too many conditions over which we have no control once you plant the bulbs or bulblets. We sell only young, healthy, Iowa grown bulbs.

Our bulbs are state certified—four times inspected: field and storage inspected by Iowa State inspector and personally inspected at digging and shipping time.

Size of Bulbs

Large bulbs are 1¼" in diameter or more. Medium bulbs are ¾" to 1¼" in diameter. Small bulbs are ¼" to ¾" in diameter. Bulblets are the little hard shelled cormlets from which bulbs are grown.

Prices

Bulb prices are as follows:

2 for 25c	are 10 for \$1.00
3 for 25c	are 10 for 70c
4 for 25c	are 10 for 50c
5 for 25c	are 10 for 40c
6 for 25c	are 10 for 35c
15c each	are 10 for \$1.25
20c each	are 10 for \$1.60
25c each	are 10 for \$2.00
30c each	are 10 for \$2.40
35c each	are 10 for \$2.80
40c each	are 10 for \$3.20
50c each	are 10 for \$4.00
60c each	are 10 for \$4.80
75c each	are 10 for \$6.00
\$1.00 each	are 10 for \$8.00
\$1.50 each	are 10 for \$12.00
\$2.00 each	are 10 for \$16.00

ALL AMERICA GLADIOLUS

For the first time gladiolus growers are offered two new, outstanding, fully tested gladiolus. The two varieties offered this year are the most reliable and outstanding performers of a large number of seedlings tested in over 25 different test plots located throughout the U. S. and Canada, they have further been extensively grown to build a stock so that they could be simultaneously offered to the general public as well as to the hobbist at a moderate price. All leading seed and bulb houses will offer these two new gladiolus at the same price as we will sell to the hobbist.

ROYAL STEWART AAGS **(450) (RALPH POMMERT)**

A truly remarkable new gladiolus variety that has been widely acclaimed for its consistently fine performances under an extensive test program throughout the United States and Canada. The lightly ruffled florets are 5 inches in diameter, are of good substance. They are a clear light red and the long flowerheads frequently carry up to 12 florets open at one time. Growth is vigorous and healthy, with the total height of the plants running about 5 feet. On the occasions when it has been exhibited at gladiolus shows, Royal Stewart has proved to be an outstanding winner of top awards. Parentage is Red Charm X Unnamed seedling. Blooming date is early midseason. Plant patent No. 1339.

APPLE BLOSSOM AAGS **(460) (CARL FISCHER-RALPH BAERMAN)**

A gladiolus of the utmost delicacy of coloring, the predominating hue being snowy white with a faint touch of cream in the throat and an exquisite flush of cool rose pink at the edges of the petals. Up to 8 or 10 trimly tailored florets, about 5 inches in diameter and of very heavy substance, are open at a time on spikes up to 5 feet tall. A vigorous easy grower that performs excellently with only average culture. Apple Blossom will give you a new conception of beauty when it blooms in your garden. The parentage is Beauty's Blush X Rose Charm. Blooming date is early midseason. Propagation and germination are excellent. Plant patent applied for.

RETAIL PRICES ON EITHER AAGS VARIETIES

\$1.00 per Bulb; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.75

**(3 OF EACH VARIETY WILL BE FURNISHED
AT THE 6 RATE)**

No. 1 size will be furnished to the extent possible, after which No. 2 size will be furnished. No other sizes will be sold and no bulbets will be sold. The right to reproduce the All-America Varieties for resale purposes or to sell cut-flowers is reserved.

